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National Transportation Safety Board		NTSB I	D: DCA02RA04	17A	Aircraft Registration Number: A9C-DHL				
FACTUAL REPORT Occu			ence Date: 07/01	/2002	Most Critical Injury: Fatal				
			ence Type: Accid	lent	Investigated By: Foreign				
Location/Time									
Nearest City/Place	arest City/Place State			Local Time	Time Zone				
Uberlingen				2135					
Airport Proximity:	Landing Facility:								
Aircraft Information Summary									
Aircraft Manufacturer			Model/Series	3			Type of Aircraft		
Boeing	757-23F		Airplane						
Revenue Sightseeing Flight: No	Air N	Air Medical Transport Flight: No							

## Narrative

Brief narrative statement of facts, conditions and circumstances pertinent to the accident/incident:

On July 1, 2002, about 2335 local time, a Boeing 757-200, Bahrain registration A9C-DHL, operating as DHL flight 611, and a Bashkirian Airlines Tupolev TU154, Russian registration RA85816, collided in midair over Uberlingen, Germany. The two flight crewmembers onboard A9C-DHL suffered fatal injuries. Twelve crewmembers and 57 passengers onboard RA85816 also suffered fatal injuries.

The German Accident Investigation Bureau is responsible for the investigation. For further information contact:

Bundesstelle fur Flugunfalluntersuchung Hermann-Blenk-Str. 16 38108 Braunschweig Germany

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Occurrence Date: 07/01/2002

AVIATION	rence Type	: Ac	ccident	]								
Landing Facility/Approach In	formation						•					
Airport Name Airp				А	irport Elevation	Run	nway Used	Runwa	y Lengt	h	Runv	vay Width
			Ft. MSL									
Runway Surface Type:												
Runway Surface Condition:												
Approach/Arrival Flown:												
VFR Approach/Landing:												
Aircraft Information			_									
Aircraft Manufacturer			Model						Serial	Numbe	er	
Boeing			757-2	23F								
Airworthiness Certificate(s):												
Landing Gear Type:												
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Engine Type:				anuf	acturer:		Model/Se	ries:	Rated Pov		ed Power:	
- Aircraft Inspection Information							•			•		
Type of Last Inspection			Date of Las	st Ins	spection	Time Si		Airframe Total Time				
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- Emergency Locator Transmitter (	ELT) Information											
ELT Installed?/Type			ELT Opera	ELT Operated? ELT Aided in Locating Accident Site?						?		
Owner/Operator Information												
Registered Aircraft Owner			Street /	Addı	ress							
			City							Stat	e	Zip Code
Operator of Aircraft			Street A	Addr	ess					•	•	
DHL AIRWAYS INC			City							Stat	e	Zip Code
Operator Does Business As:	•			0	perator Desig	nator Co	de: DH	ILA				
- Type of U.S. Certificate(s) Held:												
Air Carrier Operating Certificate(s)	: Foreign Operatio	n										
Operating Certificate:				Operator Certific	ate:							
Regulation Flight Conducted Unde	r: Non-U.S., Comr	mercial										
Type of Flight Operation Conducted	d: Scheduled; Inte	rnation	al; Cargo									
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AVIATION Occurrence Type:					ce Type: Ac	cident								
First Pilot Information														
Name	-	City					Stat	te D	ate of Birth	Age				
Sex: Seat Occupied: Occupational Pilot? Certificate Number:												r:		
Certificate(	s):													
Airplane Ra	ating(s):													
Rotorcraft/0	Glider/LTA:													
Instrument	Rating(s):													
Instructor F	Rating(s):													
Current Bie	ennial Flight Revie	∍w?												
Medical Ce	ert.:	Medica	al Cert. Status	s:						ate of La	ast Me	edical Exa	am:	
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Flight Plan/Itinerary														
Type of Fliç	ght Plan Filed:													
Departure F	Point						State Airp			sirport Identifier		Departure Time		Time Zone
Bergamo								UTC						
Destination	1						State Airport Identifier							
BRUSSE	LS		BRH											
Type of Cle	earance:													
Type of Air	space:													
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Source of \	Wx Information:													
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AVIATION			0	Occurrence Type: Accident								
Weather	Information											
WOF ID	Observation Time	Time Zone	WO	VOF Elevation WOF Distance From Acci				Accid	lent Site		Direction From A	ccident Site
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Lowest Ceiling:				Ft. AGL			Visibility:			Alti	meter:	"H
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Wind Direc	ction:	Wind Sp	peed:			Win	d Gusts:					
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Precip and	d/or Obscuration:	•										
Accident	Information											
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AVIATION	Occurrence Type: Accident	
Administrative Information		
Investigator-In-Charge (IIC)		
Lorenda Ward		
Additional Persons Participating in This Accident/Incide	ent Investigation:	